



2874 *[Handwritten signature]*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/916,114 Confirmation No. : 7745
Applicant : Bernd MAISENHOELDER, et al.
Filed : July 27, 2001
TC/A.U. : 2874
Examiner : Michael Stahl
Docket No. : 080314.48609CP
Customer No. : 23911
Title : Wave Guide Plate and Process of Manufacturing Same as Well
: as Microplate

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Patent Office Action dated May 20, 2004, please amend
the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. (A
Substitute Specification with marked up version submitted concurrently
herewith).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.